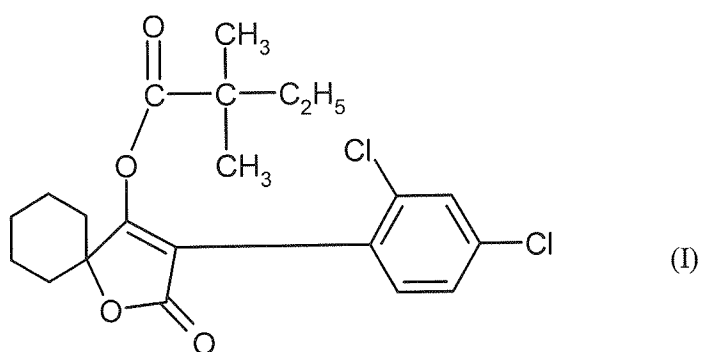


Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (Currently amended) A method for controlling acarids, comprising contacting a compound of the formula (I)



with hops, ~~soft fruits~~ berries, or conifers, wherein the conifers are selected from the group consisting of spruces and firs, and wherein the compound of formula (I) is applied at a concentration of 0.0048% active ingredient per hectare to 0.0144% active ingredient per hectare.

2. (Cancelled)
3. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 for controlling acarids in ~~soft fruits~~ berries.
- 4-7. (Cancelled)
8. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1 for controlling acarids in ~~conifers~~ spruces or firs, wherein the compound of formula (I) is applied at a concentration

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